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UNDER 37 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE  
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I hereby certify that this Response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 37 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) in the above-identified patent application, along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed, is being transmitted to the Initial Patent Examination Division, at telefax number 703-746-4060.

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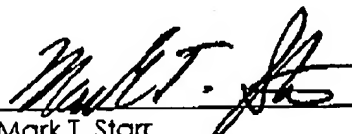
**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 37 U.S.C. 371 IN THE  
UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

In response to the "NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 37 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) dated **March 10, 2005**, a response to which is due **May 10, 2005**, enclosed herewith for filing is:

The original Declaration and Power of Attorney, executed by the inventors. An unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney was filed with the above-identified application via Express Mail No. **ET647806419US** on **November 30, 2004**.

Authorization to charge payment of the surcharge in the amount of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-3790 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed herewith.

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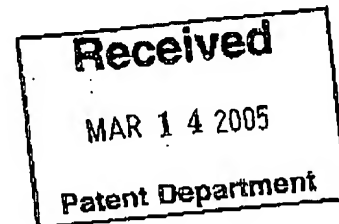
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*Response to Missing Requirements*  
**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)** 5/10/05

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 11/30/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 11/30/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 11/30/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 11/30/2004
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 11/30/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 11/30/2004
- Assignment filed on 11/30/2004
- Power of Attorney filed on 11/30/2004



The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE**

DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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